GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM AND CULTURE
LOK SABHA

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TOURISM PROJECTS
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Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the tourism projects taken up in the States including Orissa in the KBK districts during Ninth Plan; and

(b) the steps taken to implement those projects?

Answer

MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRIJAGMOHAN)

(a): The Department of Tourism in consultation with the State Governments/UTAdministrations sanctioned 1563 tourism projects with Central financial component of Rs.372.43 crores in various States/UTsincluding Orissa during the 9th Five Year Plan. State-wise details are given in the annexure.

(b): State Governments have been advised to complete these projects expeditiously. Progress of the projects are being monitored regularly. Review meetings are also held with Senior officers of the State Government/UT Administrations to expediteimplementation of projects.